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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed April 3, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

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1. (Amended) A transducer transitioning between electronic data transfer protocols of a jumper cable and an integrated circuit mounted on a substrate, comprising:
a base mountable on the substrate, and
an input/output (I/O) lead configured to directly contact an I/O lead of the integrated circuit mounted on the substrate.

2. The transducer of claim 1, wherein the transducer I/O lead is configured to electrically connect to the integrated circuit I/O lead independently of any electrically conductive path of the substrate.

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